



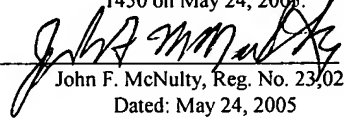
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Inventors: Egon Hubel
Examiner: Edna Wong
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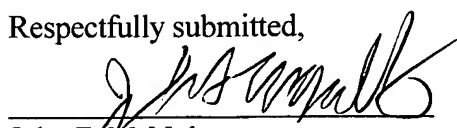
Sir:

Enclosed herewith are the following:

- (1) Cover Letter with Certificate of Mailing;
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Respectfully submitted,


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RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION DATED MAY 12, 2005

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Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated May 12, 2005.

A replacement copy of the pages of the "amendments to the claims" section of applicant's amendment is herewith resubmitted, in which the amended claims are properly indicated as being "currently amendment".

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